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WG Meeting #5 and #6 – July 10-11 and July 18 with 39 and 36 participants respectively

July 11- Morning joint meeting with Transmission Planning WG and Afternoon joint meeting with Ancillary Services WG

CM Teams active - producing draft write-ups as strawman positions

Rights (how, when, what), stability of FDF and derating, incentives for availability, and managing congestion in day ahead to real-time

Existing rights at startup of RTO, translation to flow based and allocation

Pricing signals for long term expansion

Mitigation of market power

Define flow gates and criteria to update, define FDF

Focus on getting words on paper

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Work Group Report (continued)

• Open Issues – None

Second CM model presented to WG by PacifiCorp. Hybrid path flow method, in-line with methods currently, may initially set-back process by 2 weeks, long term may accelerate consensus

Rights – what are the rights, who get rights and ultimately the translation of rights

Flow paths (cut-planes) – how many, measure of coherency and commercially significant, now being jointly worked with Planning WG

Expansion pricing signals – working with Transmission Planning WG

Working through the details

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Work Group Report (continued)

- Open Issues (continued)
- Deadlocks None

Still discussing contentious issues

Slowly converging on specific list of issues

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WG Report (continued)

- Consensus being re-evaluated
 - Develop a physical rights, flow gate model
 - continuous post day ahead scheduling process
 - RTO facilitated, real time balance energy market
 - Developing a side-by-side comparison of the physical and the hybrid model

Start preparing for presentation of both Consensus and Non Consensus position is August

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Calendar:

May 24, 2000	Kick Off Meeting - Complete	RTO West Facility
June 6-7, 2000	CM Workshop - Complete	RTO West Facility
June 12	CM WG Meeting #2 - Complete	RTO West Facility
June 19	CM WG Meeting #3 - Complete	RTO West Facility
June 26-27	CM WG Meeting #4 - Complete	RTO West Facility
July 10-11	CM WG Meeting #5 - Complete	RTO West Facility
July 18	CM WG Meeting #6 - Complete	RTO West Facility
July 24-25	CM WG Meeting #7	RTO West Facility
July 31-August 1	CM WG Meeting #8	RTO West Facility

Continue as needed in August

More Face to Face Meetings